

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
SAVANNAH DIVISION**

RICO LAVON EDWARDS, )  
v. )  
Movant, ) Case No. CV416-168  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) CR413-029  
Respondent. )

**O R D E R**

Movant, an inmate at the Federal Correctional Institution in Edgefield, South Carolina, has filed with this Court a motion under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 to vacate, set aside, or correct his federal sentence. The Clerk is DIRECTED to serve the United States Attorney with this Order and a copy of the petition, if he has not already done so. Rule 3(b), Rules Governing Proceedings in the United States District Courts under § 2255.

The Court directs respondent to file an answer or response within thirty days from the date of this Order. Rule 4(b). The movant is directed to furnish the United States Attorney in Savannah, Georgia, with copies of all further motions or papers filed in this case.

**SO ORDERED** this 9th day of August, 2016.

JH Smith  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA